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From: Gray, David [gray.david@epa.gov]
Sent: 11/1/2018 12:13:27 PM
To: Chancellor, Erin [chancellor.erin@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Nov 8 run of show

I will call.

From: Chancellor, Erin
Sent: Thursday, November 1, 2018 6:40 AM
To: Gray, David <gray.david@epa.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Nov 8 run of show

Changes below. Can you call Kula and Gen Owen? Thanks and sorry for the last minute changes! If they can't make it we can extend the first meeting back to the original plan.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Chancellor, Erin" <chancellor.erin@epa.gov>
Date: October 31, 2018 at 5:49:48 PM CDT
To: "Bennett, Tate" <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>
Cc: "Jackson, Ryan" <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>, "Woods, Clint" <woods.clint@epa.gov>, "Idsal, Anne" <idsal.anne@epa.gov>, "Molina, Michael" <molina.michael@epa.gov>, "Beach, Christopher" <beach.christopher@epa.gov>
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Edited lists/schedule below. If anything needs to be changed, please let me know!

Potential run of show

- [8:15-8:45a](#): Breakfast meeting with RA
- [8:45-9:30a](#): Senior leadership meeting
- [9:30-9:45a](#): Union rep meeting
- [9:45-10a](#): Break
- [10a-11a](#): All hands in person/streamed
- [11:15a-11:45p](#): Lunch
- [11:45-12:45p](#): Outside group meeting (air)
 - Invited (they may send alternates, still working on final list):
 - Texas Governor's Office (likely will be his environmental policy advisor) — invited;
 - Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Chairman Jon Niermann (+Special Counsel Jim Rizk) — **confirmed**;
 - Texas Railroad Commission Commissioner Wayne Christian (+Chief of Staff) — invited;
 - Texas Water Development Board Chairman Peter Lake (+Chief of Staff Tara Rejino) — **confirmed**;

- Texas Oil & Gas Association President Todd Staples — invited, likely coming;
- Texas Chemical Council President & CEO Hector Rivero — invited; and
- Texas Pipeline Association President Thure Cannon — invited, likely coming.
- 12:45-1:15p: Outside group meeting (water)
 - Invited (they may send alternates, still working on final list):
 - Texas Governor's Office (likely will be his environmental policy advisor) — invited;
 - Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Chairman Jon Niermann (+Special Counsel Jim Rizk) — **confirmed**;
 - Texas Railroad Commission Commissioner Wayne Christian (+Chief of Staff) — invited;
 - Texas Water Development Board Chairman Peter Lake (+Chief of Staff Tara Rejino) — **confirmed**;
 - US Army Corps of Engineers Commander & Division Engineer of the Southwest Division Brigadier General Paul E. Owen — will invite today; and
 - North Texas Municipal Water District Executive Director & General Manager Tom Kula — will invite today.
- 1:15p: Depart R6
- 3:13p: Flight out of DFW

Finders keepers for any water filling the reservoirs

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On Oct 31, 2018, at 4:31 PM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

On the water reservoir permit- I recall it's mostly USACE....BUT EPA did hold up it's environmental review for its permit/ kept moving the goalpost on it for 5-10 years at least...maybe more. This was rectified once Trump took over and our environmental approval of the project was out the door in January 2018, and USACE issued permit in early Feb of 2018. Way to go R6.

Sent from my iPad

On Oct 31, 2018, at 6:22 PM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:

That works great. And this allows us to meet with a variety of both local leaders, state officials, and in particular for these issues the oil and gas industry?

That's a fantastic issue to be able to help with the permitting and to be able to highlight that. Hopefully it's not all Corps of engineers.

Of course, I trust Texas doesn't think it's filling those reservoirs with Oklahoma water.... wait that was my old job, ok it's out of my system now.

Ryan Jackson
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On Oct 31, 2018, at 4:10 PM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

RJ- We can do an hr meeting with the air announcements, and then a 30 min meeting on the water issue if that works for you RJ? You might recall Pruitt twice met with the North Texas Municipal Water District on this water project----- once on a trip he went on in Dallas, Texas and again here in at their flyin in the CVC on the Hill. Blurb from press we did on it below.

In August, I met with officials with the North Texas Municipal Water District. At the time, they had been stuck in the various state and federal approval processes for a new \$1.2 billion reservoir since 2003! That is unacceptable and we are committed to improving and expediting these processes. On Jan. 26, EPA concluded its permit review and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers issued the final permit on Feb. 2. The reservoir, which is anticipated to be operational in 2022, will yield an estimated 70 million gallons of water a day and provide a massive economic boost to the region due to new housing, hotels, restaurants and stores. It will be the first new reservoir constructed in Texas in nearly 30 years.

On Oct 31, 2018, at 3:39 PM, Chancellor, Erin <chancellor.erin@epa.gov> wrote:

Water topic was discussing the potential of new reservoirs in TX (particularly north TX).

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On Oct 31, 2018, at 12:51 PM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:

What is the RTR
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Additionally, what was
the water related issue
idea?

From: Woods, Clint
Sent: Wednesday,
October 31, 2018 1:19
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To: Jackson, Ryan
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SIP Requirements Rule
for 2015 Ozone NAAQS
(final): Will be ready to
sign Monday; Suggest
national release earlier
with Texas-focused
talking points at event.
Relevant for all listed
invitees.

Petroleum Refinery
Sector RTR package
(final): Ready to sign by
early next week but
could be announced in
Dallas

SSM: Texas letter was
sent by R6 a couple
weeks back, but could
announce/highlight
next steps

TX SO2 nonattainment
designation error
correction (proposal):
Finding out tmrw if
we'll have this available
to announce but, if not,
we could indicate
intention to release in
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1:09 PM, Jackson, Ryan
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